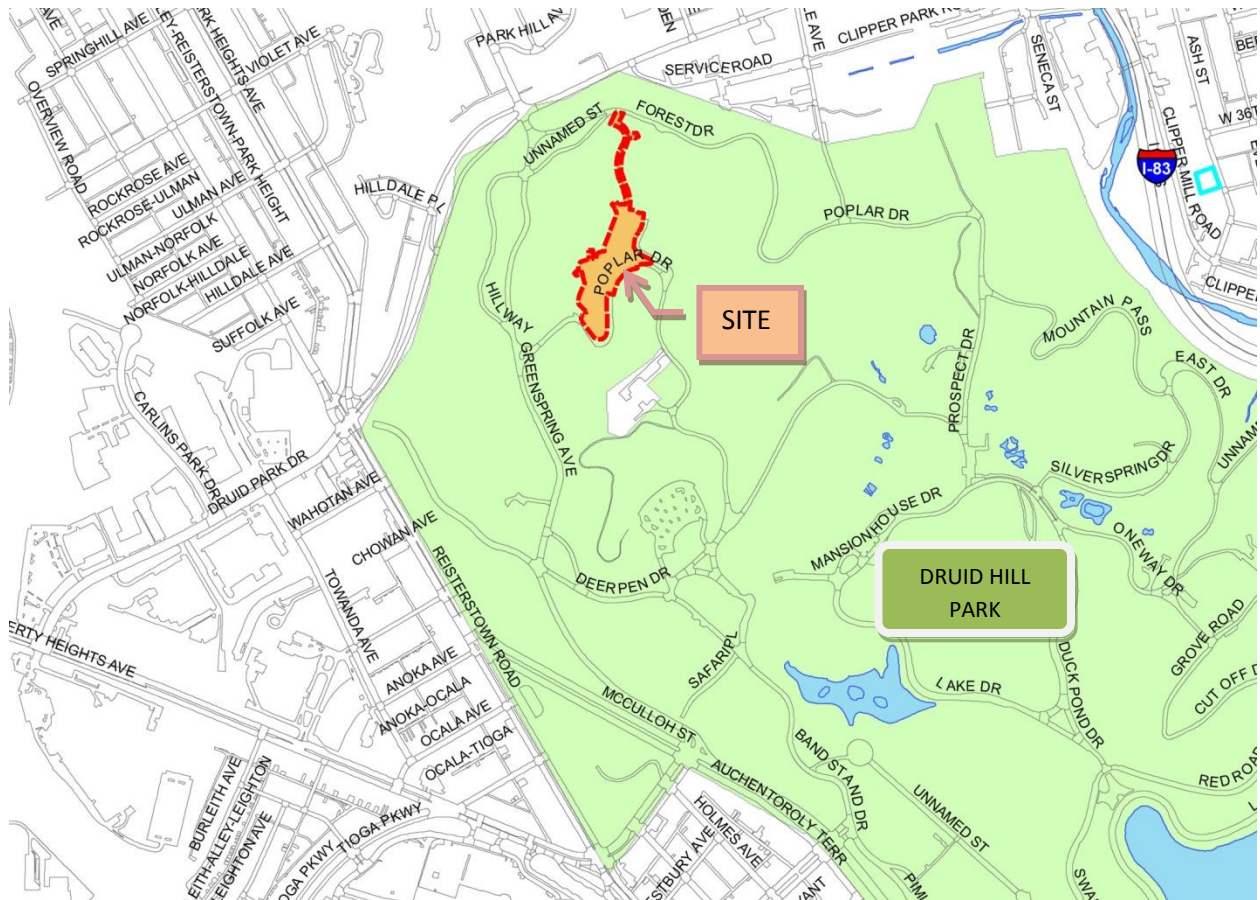


# PUBLIC NOTICE

The Baltimore City Department of Public Works, in coordination with Baltimore City Recreation and Parks Department is accepting public review and comments for a request to issue a Stormwater Management Administrative Waiver for the “Renovation of the Three Sisters Ponds at Druid Hill Park” project.



Notice is hereby given that the public is invited to comment on the request by Baltimore City Department of Public Works, for an administrative Waiver to the requirements of City Code for Stormwater Management Quantity Control. This project is eligible for an Administrative Waiver since it received Preliminary Project Approval on or before May 4, 2010. The Preliminary Project Approval was granted on May 3, 2010.

Comments on the Administrative Waiver must be received by 5:00 PM on September 27, 2010, to ensure consideration by the Department.

The Baltimore City Department of Parks and Recreation is proposing to renovate three existing ponds and surrounding area to create a passive recreation and environmental education facility within Druid Hill Park. Proposed improvements include:

- Reconstruction of three existing manmade ponds.
- Re-watering the ponds through a solar powered groundwater well and recirculation pump and pipe system.
- Installing a network of 6' wide concrete trails, steps, ADA ramps and site amenities.
- Minor park access roadway improvements.

In order to meet the 2010 Baltimore City SWM Ordinance requirements for the proposed improvements, a waiver for stormwater management water quantity control is requested. Impervious improvements associated with this project consist of installation of 6-feet wide, ADA-accessible sidewalk, which quantifies for a quality (Cpv, Qp and Qf) control waiver under Section 2.7.1 of the City of Baltimore Stormwater Management Manual. Water quality management is provided by use of extended detention above the permanent pool elevation in Pond No. 3.

A copy of the Stormwater Management report may be obtained by calling and making a request to Baltimore City Recreation and Parks 410-396-7948 or visiting the office during normal business hours:

City of Baltimore, Department of Recreation and Parks  
2600 Madison Avenue,  
Baltimore, MD 21217

**Questions or comments relating to this request may be submitted during the review period by mail to Mr. Warren Ware, Baltimore City Department of Public Works (DPW) Bureau of Water and Wastewater, Surface Water Management Division, 3001 Druid Park Drive, Baltimore, MD 21215, or by email to [warren.ware@baltimorecity.gov](mailto:warren.ware@baltimorecity.gov).**